Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—The Acting Assistant Engineer Mr. Kattappuram Verghese.

174. Mr. P Raman Menon:—Will the Government be pleased to state the approximate difference in the cost of the work if the level is to vary by one inch from the actual for the whole area?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon:—A difference of one inch in this work would involve an amount of about Rs. 430.

Allegations against the Chittur Municipal Surveyor.

175. Mr. A. Eachara Menon:—With reference to question No. 16 of the fourth Budget Session, will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether they are aware that the Chairman's report is released to the Councillors;

(2) whether they will now be able to place it on the table;

(3) whether they are in receipt of further report from the Chairman?

Rama Varmha Tampuran:—(1) Yes.

(2) Government regret that the report being confidential as already stated in answer to sub-division 6 of question No. 16 of the last Budget Session, it cannot be placed on the Council table

(3) No.

Mr. A. Eachara Menon:—Have these Municipal Councillors been instructed to keep this report confidential?

Rama Varmha Tampuran:—I want notice.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—Are there any definite rules to make papers confidential?

Rama Varmha Tampuran: - No. Certain papers are marked confidential.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim:—So, is it according to the whims of the Government?

Rama Varmha Tampuran:— Yes.

Purchase and fittings of lamp posts—claims of Messrs. Brunton & Co. against the Trichur Municipality.

176. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar:— Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether the Trichur Municipality owes some money

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